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DETAILED ACTION

1. This communication is in response to Applicant's amendments filed on October 1, 2008.

Response to Applicant's Amendment

2. The reply filed on October 1, 2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

The Applicant's reply does not comply with 37 C.F.R. 1.111 (b) because it does not include arguments pointing out specific distinctions believed to render the added new claims 7-10 are patentable over the applied references.

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